

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The Applicants respectfully submit the accompanying replacement sheets of formal figures to replace the informal figures previously submitted. No new matter is being introduced in the present replacement sheets. Therefore, please consider and replace the original eight (8) sheets of drawings with the accompanying six (6) sheets of drawings.

REMARKS

The Applicants request that the presently submitted replacement figures be reviewed and submitted for entry. The presently submitted replacement figures are not believed to introduce any new matter and instead are merely intended to replace the previously submitted informal drawings with the present formal drawings.

Interview Summary

On February 15, 2010, Applicants' attorney, John M. Rariden (Reg. No. 54,388) conducted a telephone interview with the Examiner, Larry D. Worrell, Jr., regarding the submission of the accompanying formalized drawings. Examiner Worrell indicated that the formalized drawings could be submitted and would be considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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